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Dear Harold,

Glad to hear that your auto accident had no injuries. I just got a car of my own and now I'm just waiting for some nut to come along and put the first dent in it. Now that I don't have to ask to borrow the car, I hope to come down to see you in the near future and to look over some of your books and documents.

My classes for the coming term should prove both interesting and useful. Besides two courses in rhetoric, I'm taking a course in Communications Law, where we'll be dealing with things like the Freedom of Information Act, and a course in Evidence, where one of the things to be discussed is the JFK assassination and the "controversies" surrounding it. Now there's a class I should be able to contribute something to!

I just finished reading Frame-Up. Nothing I could say would adequately express how much it impressed me. The incredibly thorough research and investigation made it the most powerful book I've ever read. In the very least it's proof that the "judicial system" works better in theory than in practice and that seeming advances, like the Freedom of Information Act, often turn out to be only words written to placate an unknowing public. I've read an awful lot on political assassinations since my interest in them started two years ago, but it wasn't until I finished reading Frame-Up that the enormity of the conspiracies and cover-ups actually scared me. It's now very clear to me that the problem we're facing goes far beyond a bum rap for Ray or some "unsolved" murders. These conspiracies, which indeed make Watergate look like a second rate burglary, have dealt possibly fatal blows to this country. What makes it even worse is that unless the truth is brought out and the people are convinced that it is time to act, it can and probably will happen again. I think that's what makes the work that you, Jim Lesar and others are doing so important and why it is necessary for people like me, who were really quite young when the assassinations happened, to become involved and to prevent the investigations from dying down.

I hope you have a good year. Don't get in any more accidents, that could be hazardous to your health!

Best regards,

Karen